

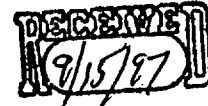


The Vitamin Marketing Experts

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Dr. Elizabeth Yetley
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Division of Programs and Enforcement Policy
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition
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Dear Dr. Yetley:

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the requirements of Section 403(r)(6) (21 U.S.C. 343(r)(6)) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act of statements of nutritional support which have been made on the label and/or in the labeling in connection with the marketing of the dietary supplement ST. JOHN'S WORT 150MG.

ST. JOHN'S WORT 150MG will be first marketed with these statements of nutritional support on Wednesday, September 10, 1997. The statements of nutritional support are as follows:

The uplifting herb.
Promotes positive mood and feeling.
Promoting an enhanced sense of well-being.

Very truly yours,

Mason Vitamins, Inc.

Sonia Rodriguez
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